**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH**
**A B S T R A C T**

Higher Education Department – Up-gradation of the post of Deputy Director as Joint Director O/o Andhra Pradesh State Council of Higher Education, Tadepalli - Orders – Issued.

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**HIGHER EDUCATION [UE] DEPARTMENT**

**G.O.Rt.No.282.** **Dated:31.12.2018**

**Read the following :-**

1. G.O.Ms.No.334. Fin [SMPC] Dept. Dated:1.12.2006.
2. From the Chairman, APSCHE, Lr.No.APSCHE/CMP-TVS/SKM-DD-JD/2016, Dated.16.04.2016.
3. From the Chairman, APSCHE, Lr.No.APSCHE/CMP-DD-Up-gradations as JD/2017, Dated:28.12.2017.

**O R D E R**:

In G.O first read above, the existing post of Deputy Director is upgraded as Joint Director in A.P. State Council of Higher Education and filled with the then Deputy Director. Continue as long as he is on deputation and after his repatriation, the post of Joint Director will cease to operate. During this period the vacancy of the Deputy Director will not be filled and the Council will not put any additional financial burden to Government.

2. In letters 2nd & 3rd read above, the Chairman, A.P. State Council of Higher Education has informed that the Council has been facing difficulty to coordinate with other Departments & academic activities etc. with the present Secretary, who is only the middle level officer and he is already overburdened with work. The existing Deputy Director, who is next level Officer in the Council is unable to effectively coordinate the work related to legal cases at Supreme Court level and or with the Universities and other Government Departments because of his lower official status. Further, he has informed A.P. State Council of Higher Education needs a middle level officer in the cadre of Joint Director who can effectively coordinate with other Departments to attend meetings convened by other Departments; to convene the meeting of the Academic Committees; to undertake studies on best practices of Higher Education system in other States in the Country; to attend legal cases at Supreme Court level in view of the prevailing circumstances and legal disputes of the Council in Hon'ble Supreme Court.

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3. The Chairman, A.P. State Council of Higher Education has stated that it is necessary to up-grade the post of Deputy Director as Joint Director to confer dignity to the post and promote the existing Deputy Director as Joint Director. The post of Joint Director will continue as long as the existing individual holds the post and it will cease to operate after the post is vacated by the existing individual.

4. Government after careful examination of the matter hereby up-grade the existing post of Deputy Director O/o A.P. State Council of Higher Education as Joint Director and promote the existing Deputy Director as Joint Director as a special case, additional expenditure will be incurred by the Council from its existing Grants or internal resources of funds. The post of Joint Director will continue as long as the existing individual holds the post and it will cease to operate after the post is vacated by the existing individual and restore as Deputy Director.

5. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance (FMU H&T Edu) Department vide their U.O.No.32022/2/2018 SO.FMU (H&T EDN), Dated: 06.11.2018.

6. The Secretary, A.P.State Council of Higher Education shall take necessary action accordingly in the matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

K.DAMAYANTHI
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Chairman, A.P. State Council of Higher Education, Tadepalli,
The Pay and Accounts Officer, Vijayawada.
The Director of Treasuries and Accounts, A.P, Vijayawada.
The A.G, AP, Hyderabad.
The Secretary, A.P.State Council of Higher Education, Tadepalli.
The GA (Cabinet) Dept.

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